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Says Cullom Will Be Nominated at St. Louis.

FORETOLD GARFIELD'S ELECTION.

Second Election of President Cleveland, and Now He Points to Cullom as the Lucky Man-Wisconsin Apportionment Question About Settled-Race Question

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-The man who predicted Garfield's nomination and Cullom will be the nominee of the St Louis convention. This man is Dr. Keizer at Washington, and he is a spiritualist. dential nominations for the past twentyfive years. His predictions concerning Garfield's nomination attracted much at it was fulfilled. While the attention of the whole country was riveted on Grant and Blaine and Sherman in 1880, and no Dr. Keizer announced that he would be the candidate. He was laughed at, but

Called on the Senator, He called on the senstor in his commit-tee room at the Capitol, saying that he only wanted to see the man he knew was to be the next president. Dr. Keizer is not a crank, nor is he seeking notoriety. not a crank, nor is he seeking notoriety. He is a believer in spiritualism, and believes that the revelations coming to him from the spirit world are reliable. He said he had never met Senator Cullom, but would like to see him, because of what had been revealed to him concerning the senator's future. Senator Cullom laughed when told of the caller and his revelation but was superied to make laughed when told of the caller and his revelation, but was surprised to meet a very intelligent and pleasant appearing business man, who chatted over political affairs for a few minutes, and then re-tired, leaving with the senatur an invita-tion to dine with him after he became president. The senator said he would giadly accept the invitation should the recalistion prove true. ion prove true.

WISCONSIN APPORTIONMENT.

on Which Will Meet the Approval o the Legislat

Manison, Wis., Feb. 25.-The app tionment of the Schatorial districts of onsin, the stumbling block which has balked all the efforts of the legis in preparing a bill which would come within the requirements of the constitu tion as interpreted by the rulings of the supreme court and at the same time constitute a measure which would receive the sanction of the upper house of the legislature, the personal interests of whose members are affected by it, is now virtu-ally settled. The subcommittee, which has been at work since the adjournment. Friday night on a new bill, reported to the full committee Monday evening, and, while there was not a quorum of the latter present, there is no doubt that the bill submitted is the one which will meet its approval and be passed by the legislature, especially in view of the fact that it has the approval of Attorney General Mylros, who acceded to the request of the committee and met with them in the committee recom.

The new bill leaves a variation between the smallest and largest senate district, as regards population, of about 18,000 by breaking county lines, and as this lashout 5,000 nearer equality than the present Democratic apportionment, which also breaks caunty lines. It only breaks county lines in two instances, those of Rock and Jefferson counties, which are divided. Another change is Grant county, which is put with Iowa instead of Crawford, bringing Senators Baxter and Spenswhich is put with Iowa instead of Craw-ford, bringing Senators Baxter and Spens-ley into the same district, and another in transposing Juneau and Wood counties, the latter from the Ninth to the Thirty-first district, and vice versa. Assembly districts remain unchanged from the com-mittee's amended repart.

RACE QUESTION IN POLITICS.

Pastor of a Colored Church Nominated for

HALTIMORE, Feb. 26.—The race quest on was revived in all its ascerbity Monday night when Dr. Cargill, the colored councilman for the Eleventh ward, in which negroes largely exceed the whites, nom-inated the Rev. F. C. Eggleston, the pasinated the Rev. F. C. Eggleston, the pastor of a colored church, for school commissioner. In joint convention Eggleston got 16 votes. The Republican councilman representing the ward in the second branch nominated Dr. Bombaugh, a white man, and he got 6 votes. The ten Democrats present voted for one of their own party. The Republican chairman de ided Eggleston to be elected by a majority of those present, notwithstanding the tie, and a scene of excitement followed. Eggleston's election has been contested. Mayor Hooper added fuel to the fire by appointing E. F. Mills as the second colored district superintendent of street cleaning. The nomination was laid over by the council.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 26.—The Hon. DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 26.—The Hon. "Jerry" Simpson arrived in the city Monday and was asked for an interview about Mrs. Mary Lease. He said: "I don't know whether Mrs. Lease really means to abandon politics or not, but I hope she does. She has never been anything but a disturbing element in politics, and, while she is a woman of great ability, she is too aggressive and independent. She wants to be the 'great I am' all the time. She won't tolerate anybody else's views and is always causing trouble. She's a lot better off in the pulpit than in politics, and I hope she'll stay there."

Will Not He i Candidate.

INDIANAPOLIS. Ind., Feb. 26.—General J. S. Fullerton of Wishington, president of the National Chicksmauga Military Park commission, who is here listening to testimony as to where the monument of the Ninth Indiana regiment should be placed, says the perso isl friends of President Cleveland understand full well that he will not be a candidate for a third term. The general says President Cleveland to the president Cleveland to

land has communicated this fact to several of his personal friends in Washington, and will in a short time announce his determination in a letter. General Failerton said to Secretary Sheerin of the Democratic national committee, among other people, that it is settled that Mr. Cleveland has made up his mind.

THEY DIED TOGETHER.

Husband Shoots His Wife and Then His-

Madison, Feb 20 -A terrible tragedy. resulting in the fatal shooting of Mrs. A. Paterson by her husband and his ward, occurred at midnight Monday in ward, occurred at miningst Milday in one of the most quiet quarters of this usually quiet city. The question whether it was murder and suicide, or was the act intentional on the part of both, is solved by a lotter by both parents left to the children in will he they say they have premeditated suicide for some time and have resolved to die together. This theory, however, is opposed by the fact that when found the wife, who had retired and was in her nightrobe, had one arm thrown across her face as if to shield it and a bullet in the arm while the husband was still fully dressed.

The family came last July from Algona, Is., where Paterson was a recchant, retiring on account of poor health. They came here to educate their children at the State university, which the father and husband formerly attended. No other motive than insanity on the part of the husband, or intended suicide on the part of both, can be assigned for the deed. one of the most quiet quarters of this usu-

Brings suit for Damages.
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 20.—
Charles F. Kimmerice has begun suit in Charles F. Kimmerice has begun suit in the Cass county circuit court for \$50,000 damages against Frank Lislé of Downgiac. Two years ago Kimmerice was a candidate for United States marshal, and Lisle lead the opposition, circulating a remonstrance against Kimmerice. Some time ago Kimmerice wrote to Washington asking for the return of his papers and indorsements, and when they reached him he found among them the remonstrance forwarded by Lisle. It charged several sensational things against Mr. Kimmerice. He then began his suit for damages and defamation of character.

BOSTON, Feb. 26.-The historic Dec mansion, on Washington street, in Rox-bury, was gutted by fire Monday. The fire was undoubtedly incendiary, for the mansion had been closed since the Deacon family went abroad a few years ago. The former owner was Mr. Edward Parker Deacon, the Boston banker, who figured in a Paris tracedy wherein he shot an alleged lover of his wife, in whose apartments he found him at an unseasonable hour. The mansion was recently sold to hour. The mansion was recently sold to Mr. A B. Puffer, of Boston. The loss is

HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 20.-By th will of Casper Cronk a fortune is await-ing the Cronk family. The testator died in Holland in April, 1704 and In his will was the provise that the document should not take effect until 10) years had clapsed. The principal heir now resides in this city in the person of Winslow Cronk, a paint er, who is of the fourth generation His sons are Frank, Arthur, Harry and George, all of whom reside in this city and Bradford. The estate is believed to ap-

Denied by General Harrison NEW YORK, Feb 26. - Ex-President Har-

New York, Feb 26.—Ex President Harrison, through his private secretary, denied that he is to be married on April 6 or April 10, or any other specified date. He has authorized no one to announce the date of his marriage. Private Secretary Tibbotts also spoke for Gen. Harrison, saying the ex-President is not writing a book on the Constitution of the United States or on any other subject, unless the magazine articles he is now writing shall be tasued in book form.

Horribly Scalded by Steam.

BESSEMER, Mich., Feb. 26. - While Thomas Blythe was inside one of the large boilers at the anvil factory Tuesday cleaning the flues, an employe turned on the valve connecting the boiler with the steam of an adjoining room. Blythe, who was only a few feet from the entrance, threw himse fout, but his head shoulders and arms were literally cooked, the flesh dropping off in some places in chunks. He is still ally but his recovery is doubted

Developments in the Strawn Case. CREROKEE, Ia., Feb. \$6.-Much excitment exists here over the develo ment exists here over the developments in the case of Maud Strawn, the young girl 'nysteriously murdered last week. A. A. Bull and O. E. Spangle, two well-known citiseus, have been placed in jail. It is said that one is the slayer and the other knows the details. Excitement is at fever heat and if the men confess a lynching can hardly be avoided.

Hupson, N. Y., Feb. 26.-News of the frightful death of an employe of the Conarightful death of an employe of the Con-sumers' Ice company comes from Smith's landing, ten miles below this city. Charles Gardner, of that place, while standing over a rapidly revolving friction wheel in the ice house adjusting a chain slipped and fell into the wheel pit. He was drawn into the mischinery and was torn to please.

Ex-City Tremurer Indicted ST. Louis, Feb. 26.-Ex City Tre

ST. LOUIS, Feb 26.—Ex City Treasurer Michael Feerstel has been indicted by the grand jury on seven counts, charging embezziement of city funds to the amount of \$63,000. Circuit Attorney Zachritz several weeks ago had the former charges nolle prossed, and notwithstanding the fact that he informed the grand jury that a further presention would not hold, the new indictments were handed down.

Deposed President Arrested.
PITTSBURG, Feb 28.—Simon Burns, the leposed president of the Window Glass Workers' association, has been accessed. on the charge of forcible entry. Burns la-sists that he is still president of the as-sociation and attempted to regain control of headquarters by entering the pre-mises and handling official documents in the president's office.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 251doutenant Ross, formerly of the revenue cutter Corwin, has forwarded charges to the secretary of the treasury against Cap-tain Munger of a most serious nature. The charges assert that Munger was drunk during most of the time the fleet was in Bering sea last season.

So Senators Morrill and Frye Declare.

MOTION TO TAKE IT UP DEFEATED.

a Crime Against the Country and He Will Continue to Urge Action on the Tariff Bill-Miss Fingler Senten

Washington, Feb. 26.-Morrill, chairthe senate Tuesday that the tariff bill be taken up. He spoke briefly, urging that the needs of the treasury and of business demanded action. On the roll-call Morrill's motion was defeated; yeas, 29; nay, After the vote had been announced on the defeat of Morrill's motion a sensa tional colloquy occurred between Morrill, Teller, and Sherman. Morrill said the tariff bill was dead, and he added that it was now shown that there was not a Republican majority in the senate.

Spoke With Much Feeling.
Teller responded with intense feeling.
He declared that he and his silver Repubfican associates could not be read out with a severe arraignment of the inaction of congress, saying it was a crime against the country and against civilization. He declared that he would continue to urge action on the tariff bill. Frye took the floor to declare that the bill was dead as Julius Cassar. Business interests demanded that the statement be made emphatically that the bill was dead. He hoped it would never be heard from again and that the responsibility should rest where it belonged. At 2:10 p. m. Morgan resumed his speech on the Cuban resolutions.

The house Tuesday promptly passed the Indian appropriation bill as amended. The house also passed the Dingley bill to exterminate the Alaskan for seal herds in case a modus vivendi cannot be cor cluded for the protection of the seals pend ing the adoption of proper and effectiv regulations by the countries interested The house took up the Van Horn-Tarsne lection contest from the Fifth Misso district. The majority report favored the contestant, a Republican, the minority re-port of Damocrats and one Republican fa-vored the recommittal of the case, the reopening of the testimony, the segregation of the illegal from the legal votes and a

MISS PLAGLER SENTENCED.

Serves Three Hours in Jail and Pape WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 -Miss Elizabeth Flagler, daughter of Gen. Flagler, chie



guilty to involuntary murder and was sentenced to three hours in jail and to pay a fine of \$500. Gen. Flagler paid the fine and the young lady was conducted to jail to serve the three hours. When her time was up she was released.

RIVAL OF THE TRANSVAAL Rich Gold Mines of Mushonaland Are Reing Rapidly Developed.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-The Trans may find a formidable rival in the near

may find a formidable rival in the near future as a gold producing state in Mashonaland, which United States Consul Hollis treats in a report to the state department from Mozambique. He says soven or eight year-age the mining industry in the Transvaal was about in the same condition as to development as that in Mashonaland today.

Now they are turning out \$42,000,000 gold per annum. Mines in Mashonaland are being much more rapidly developed, however, than those of the Transvaal were in early days. Moreover, reliable experts however, than those of the Transvaal were in early days. Moreover, reliable experts have stated that the gold reefs in Mashonaland and Matabeleland are, on the whole, richer and more extensive than those of the Transvaal, and there is no reason why these countries, along with Manica Safola, should not rival the Transvaal soon in gold noveletten.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The coast de-

fense committee Tuesday decided to amend the bill for a system of fortifications so as to expend \$10,000,000 by June 30, 1897, but making any part of that sum at once available. The bill was also amended so as to allow contracts for the completion of all projects and appropriations to be made annually of \$10,000,000 for the work. Two Bills Become Laws. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 .- Two bills have

become acts without the president's signa-ture, namely, the bill authorizing the Ar-kansas and Choctaw Rallway company to operate a railway in the Choctaw nation, and the bill granting right of way to the Brainerd and Northern Minnesota Rail-way company through the Leech Lake and Chippewa Indian reservations, Minne-sota.

Washington. Feb. 96:-Johnson California has introduced a bill in the california has introduced a bill in the house directing the committee on ways and means to investigate Japanese manufactures and expert and import trade, and the effect tooir future development will have upon the commerce of the United States. JAMESON CHEERED.

London, Feb. 25.—Br. Jameson landed at Erith, on the Thames, Tuesday in a tug

from the troopship Victoria and took the train for London. There was great excite ment at Bow Street police court at 3:15 p. m. when a number of Dr. Jameson's friends arrived. This was looked upon as showing that the long expected invader of the Transvani would soon follow them. Among those present at that time were the Duke of Abercore, Viscount Chelsen, the Earl of Arlington, Colonel Stracey, private secretary to the Marquis of Salis-bury, several colonial officers and officials, Mr. Charles B. Wards, M. P., and many other records of note.

Mr. Charles B. Warde, M. P., and many other people of note.

Dr. Jameson, after having traversed a circuitous route in order to avoid the crowds, arrived at Bow atreet police court at 6:25 p. m. He was loudly cheered on entering the courtroom. The entire audience rose and uncovered upon his appearance. Later Dr. Jameson and fourteen of his fellow prisoners were charged with "warring against a friendly state." The case was adjourned for two weeks, the prisoners being admitted to ball in sums of \$10,000 each.

WILL WOOD IN COURT.

His Case Postponed to April 15 and His Bail Reduced. CINCINNATI, Feb 26 —The case of Win. Wood, charged with abetting an attempt to commit an abortion, was called Tue day in the police court. The prisoner appeared attended by his attenties, Davis and Blackburn of this city and Gen. Matson, of Indiana. His father, Rev. F. M. Wood, and Rev. Dr. Rust were also present. There was no disposition on the required by the prosecution to perfect its case, so that almost by consent the case was postponed until April 15 and the ball was reduced from \$5,000 to \$5,000. The young man was taken down stairs to await the result of an effort to procure a bonderness.

ARRON, O., Feb. 26 -The New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio railway was sold at noon Tuesday by Receiver and Master Commissioner John Tod of Cleveland, un der order of the courts of Summit county, O., and Crawford county, Pa. The sale was made at the courthouse in this city. As soon as bids were asked for H. B. Turas soon as blue were sates for the branch of New York city stepped forward and offered \$10,000,000, the minimum price set by the courts. The bid was immediately accepted and the road declared sold. Mr. Turner made the purchase in the names of Roswell G. Raisson and C. C. Mason, who are in turn a committee appointed by

who are in turn a committee appointed by the first mortgage bondholders.

Illinois A. P. A. in Session PEORIA. Feb. 26. - The state convention of the American Protective association met in this city Tuesday morning with 250 delegates present. Nothing was done except to hear the report of the committee on credentials. At least such is the report of the committee appointed to furnish information to the press. The delegates are highly clated over the action of comments in striking out the appropriation for gress in striking out the appropriation for Catholic Indian schools.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 26,-Throu children are dead and one lying at Johns Hopkins hospital in a precerious condition as the result of a fire caused by the igniting of coalcil in the house of Frederick Rose. The dead are: Thereas Rose, aged 8; Hannah Rose, aged 6 and Mary Rose, an infant, aged 6 months. William Rose, in years old, is severely burned about the head, neck, hands, and limbs. There is

Donies the Allegations

PITTBURG, Feb 26 -Colonel Erastus H Dyer, president of the Kanawha Oil com-Dyer, president of the Kanawha Oil com-pany, has filed his answer to the \$50,000 brench of promise suit brought by Mrs. Mary A. Comans of New York. He de-nies all of Mrs. Comans sliegations, and says he has reason to believe that the plaintiff has been and is the lawful wife of Jabez B. Coman. Nothing is said in the answer as to the whereabouts of Jatez B. Coman. Jakez H. Coman.

DAVENPORT, Is, Feb. 25.—The movment of ice in the Mississippi river Tuesday carried out 169 feet of the draw span of the government bridge. It was sup-ported by trestle work while undergoing repairs. The bridge, a heavy double decker, was used by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pac-fic railway, whose traffic is blockaded for an indefinite period.

BINGHANTON, N. Y., Feiz 20. — Fire broke out in the block occupied by the Binghanton House-Furnishing Company early Tousday and spread to the adjoining block, occupied by Bakrock & Stowell, hardware dealers. The stocks of both firms were entirely consumed and the buildings gutted. Loss \$250,000; insurance unknown at present.

Duty on Silver Buillou WASHINGTON, Feb 26 - Browster New York introduced to the house a bill to place a duty of 51 per cent ad valorem apon silver bullion, coins, ores and sweeplings, also upon silver bars and ingots, and articles and wares composed wholly or in part of silver, whether manufactured or partly manufactured.

Amondment to Tariff Bill. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.-Senator Caffery

has given notice of an amendment which has given notice of an amendment which he proposes to offer to the tariff bill pro-viding for ad valorem duty of 5) per cent. on all sugars imported and adding one-eighth of a cent per pound on all sugars imported from countries paying an ex-port bounty.

Columbus, O., Feb 28.—Judge Badger, in the common pleas court, has decided that receiving money in Ohlo to be sent to a postroom in Kentucky to pay racing bets was in riolation of the laws of Ohlo.

Pirrastino, Feb. 38.—The Brotherhood of Decorators and Painters, embracing a membership of between 1,200 and 1,800 members, have decided to strike on March I unless the masters accept their scale.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Enwano H. Thomas, widely known musical componer, at Portland, Me. Judge C. F. Couch, law partner of ex-deverous Boics, at Waterley, In. Hasty C. Howns, editor of the New York Independent, at New York.

Cuban Filibustering Party Captured at New York.

WERE JUST READY TO SET SAIL.

Pinkertons and United States Marsh She Was Preparing to Start for Cuba-Fifteen Thousand Spanish Troops Missing—More Soldiers from Spain.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.-The largest fill bustering expedition that has yet been titted out in the interest of the Cuban revnists came to grief shortly before midnight Monday night by the setzure, in this harbor, of the steamer Bermuda, fly ing the British flag. The steam lighter J. arms and ammunition, was also seized, as were the tugs McCaldin Bros. and Willism J. McCaldin, which had carried about sixty Cuban filibusters aboutd the Ber muda. United States marshals and de tectives, the latter in the employ of the Spanish government, aided in the seizure and took the filibusters ashore. Marshats have been placed aboard the Bermuda, which is lying off Bedloz's island, and per engines have been disconnected, thus rendering her hors de combat for the time

being Has Been Under Surveillance. The Bermuda has been under surveil ance by Spanish spies for some time suspected with being in league with the suspected with being in league with the Cuban revolutionary party, and therefore a close watch was kept upon her by the spies. Last Saturday the steamer was taken to Port Liberry, where she coaled. On Saturday last she went to the Bedies island anchorage. Clearance papers were taken on Monday for the Bermuda to sail for Santa Martha, United States of Colombia. A crew was then shipped and forming made ready for departure. Early Monday night the tugs McCaldin Bros and William J. McCaldin lay at a pier near the Battery with steam up. This was noticed by the Spanish spies, and also that men, singly, in two and in small groups, went about them. The tugs, after taking on about sixty men, left

On receipt of the news of the gathering of the filibusters, United States
Marshal McCarthy, with Deputy
Marshal Kennedy and fifteen men, all
heavily armed, were quickly taken aboard havily armed, were quietly taken about a swift tug, which the Spanish consult general, Senor Fopele, had ready for the emergency. Down the bay the revenue cutter Hudson had been watching the Ber-muda for several days. Capmin Bradley concealed his vessel behind a huge coal hulk, and not a life was visible above. The tug ran cautiously along side the revenue tug ran cautiously along side the revenue cutter Hudson and the officers were taken on board. In half an hour a tug was seen creeping up to the Bermuda and the rattling of anchor chains was heard. Black smoke poured out of the steamer's furnel, and there was every indication of her hasty departure. her hasty departure.

Everyone Arrested The tug, which proved to be the W. J. McCaldin, threw out her lines to the Bermuda and the men were seen scram bling aboard. Then Captain Bradley gave the command to go ahead full speed cealment. She was barely 200 yards from the suspected steamer. The crow of the tug saw her coming and casting off lines with all haste, the tug darted down the bay with a stream of fire pouring out of her funnel. The revenue cutter paid no attention to the tug, but ranged along-side of the Bermuda. As soon as she was fast the marshals and Pinkerton men ewarmed aboard No resistance was of-fered by the frightened crew and Cubans, who had jumped aboard Every man was

Prisoners Ordered Released. Commissioner Shields has ordered the

release of all the men arrested in connec-tion with the Bermuda alleged filibuster ing expedition with the exception of Gen.
Garcia, Capt. Hughes and two other leaders. These will be arraigned before the
commissioner at once. The prisoners
were released because their arrest was in violation of the instructions sent out from Washington last week by Attorney Gen erai Harmon, that suspicion merely was not sufficient ground for arrest, but that evidence of intention to violate the neutrality laws was required.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND MISSING,

That Many Spanish Soldiers Unacco for in Cuba.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.-A dispatch from Havana reports 15,000 Spanish soldiers missing in Cuba. The fact has been comnumicated to the Madrid government and the search for their whereabouts is going on day and night. Official circles are in s state of alarm, for 15,000 men, with 15,000 rifles and 500,000 cartridges, is an enormous item to the Spanish army. The dis-appearance of the men will ultimately be traced to either death in battle, the num-ber of which has been concealed to hide Spanish losses, details to positions in vari-ous parts of the island, of which no rec-ord has been kept, or descritons to join the

ord has been kept, or descritions to join the insurgents.

The Spanish records show that entire guarisons have joined the rebels with their arms in every province in the island. An order was issued by General Weyler several days ago for a report of number, position and condition of the army. The responses to this, it is said, have increased the confusion, and there are reports new from reliable sources that there are 20,000 men instead of 15,000 to be accounted for.

· Fresh Troops for Caba.

MADRID, Feb. 26.-It is announced that 6,000 fresh troops from Spain will reach Cuba by the end of the present month, Cuba by the end of the present month, and 8,033 more will arrive there at the beginning of March. The Heraldo putlishes a disjanth from its correspondent in Havana denying the truth of the reports of the death of the rebel leader Masco. The dispatch also says that the rebel leader "El Inglisito," who has been captured by the Spanish, is claiming to be an American citizen in order to escape being tried and condemned by court-martial.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 -The annual en campment of the department of the Potoma, G. A. R. took place yesterday and last night. A banquet was given at the Ethitt House. General Ivan N. Walker, commander in-chief of the Grand Army, was the guest of honor.